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Filed : May 1, 2001
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AND TREATMENT OF
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

The present communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed on October 10, 2001 (Paper No. 7), which set a three month period for reply. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following Amendment, Remarks and Arguments.

AMENDMENT

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, please amend the application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete the paragraph on page 2 consisting of lines 12 through 19, and replace it with the following substitute paragraph:

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--Through the high-affinity IgE receptor, FcεRI, IgE plays key roles in an array of acute and chronic allergic reactions, including asthma, allergic rhinitis, atopic dermatitis, severe food allergies, chronic urticaria and angioedema, as well as the serious physiological condition of anaphylactic shock as results, for example, from bee stings or penicillin allergy. Binding of a

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